

REMARKS

This paper is submitted as a full and complete response to the Notice of Allowance dated April 26, 2011, and an attached Examiner's Amendment. Applicants respectfully request entry of this Amendment under 37 C.F.R. § 1.312 and to pass this case to issue.

Status of the Claims

Claims 1-9, 12-14, 17, 22 and 23 are currently pending and have previously been allowed in this application. Claim 1 is the only independent claim. Claims 1-9, 12-14, 17 and 22-23 were previously amended by the Examiner. Claims 1, 5 and 6 are amended herein. Claim 21 was previously canceled by the Examiner. Claims 10, 11 and 15, 16 and 18-20 were previously canceled. No new matter is added.

Remarks Regarding Claim Amendments

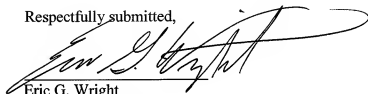
Claim 1 is amended to eliminate an extraneous occurrence of the word "of" (in step "c") of claim 1) and to identify "step f" in the last line of claim 1.

Claims 5 and 6 are amended to recite "water-insoluble" instead of only "insoluble" for improved antecedent basis in regard to claim 1 which recites "water-insoluble".

Conclusion

Should there be any outstanding issues requiring discussion, the Examiner is invited to contact the Applicant's undersigned representative at the address and telephone number indicated below.

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